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Letter of Protest

Docket No. 2022-2-E

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Date: * 4/2/2022

Protestant Information:		
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1. What is your connection or interest in this case? * For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

Customer of Dominion Energy

2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. * (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

I am against any rate increase at this time. Reason #1 - I am a senior on a fixed budget. The current rate of inflation and stagnat wages makes it increasingly harder for seniors to pay their monthly bills. Reason #2 - Promises by Dominion when they purchased SCE&G have been unfullfilled. Specifically, promised refunds never occurred, promised rate freezes until Nov 2021 were broken in favor of rate increases of around 8% in 2020, an additional rate increase was granted in July 2021 with a promise of no new increases until July 2023. And Reason #4 - Lack of transparency and report of sale of SCE&G assets in favor of compensation increase to Dominion's officers. We must and should hold Dominion accountable for their contracts made and promisied to us the consumer.

3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? *

I am unablee to attend the hearing on April 7, 10am due to my current work requirements as a CPA and tax season.

Signature Required: Kim A. Hellman, CPA

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Latimer, Becky

From: PSC_Contact

Sent: Monday, April 4, 2022 8:33 AM

To: Latimer, Becky

Subject: FW: [External] Letter of Protest 4/22/22 - Dominion Energy Proposed Rate Increase

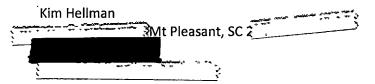
Attachments: Letter of Protest 4-2-22 Dominion Energy Proposed Rate Increase.pdf

From: Kim Hellman

Sent: Saturday, April 2, 2022 5:27 AM
To: PSC_Contact < contact@psc.sc.gov>

Subject: [External] Letter of Protest 4/22/22 - Dominion Energy Proposed Rate Increase

Please see the attached Letter of Protest on the proposed rate increase to Dominion Energy. It is ill advised and poor timing and unethical to allow the rate increase. At what point do we hold companies, tax payers, and government officials accountable and transparent for their actions. I am a licensed CPA and required by SC Law to follow ethics and rules as governed by the SC LLR and created by the SC House and Senate and signed into law by the Governor. But in the case of Dominion Energy, no one cares about the consumer, only about the money they can make. With rising inflation, gas prices, grocery prices and stagnant wages, this is a poor idea at this time.



KIM A. HELLMAN, CPA

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